

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

L. Raad

Attorney Docket No.: UAKF117032

Application No.: 09/823,857

Group Art Unit: 1732

Filed:

March 30, 2001

Examiner: S.J. Lechert Jr.

Title:

CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS PRODUCTS AND SOIL STABILIZATION USING VEGETABLE OIL AND METHOD OF PRODUCING THE SAME

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER/ PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Seattle, Washington 98101

July 6, 2004

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

A. Amendment Transmittal

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

X 1. The claim fee has been calculated as shown below.

COMPUTATION OF FEE FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims		Highest						
	Remaining		Number						
	After		Previously		Present				Additional
	Amendment		Paid For		Extra		Rate		Fee
Total Claims	. 41	-	39	=	2	Х	9	=	18
Independent Claims	9	-	7	=	2	X	43	=	86
	TOTAL								\$104

B. Petition for Extension of Time

Applicant respectfully requests that the shortened statutory period for response to the outstanding Office Action dated February 3, 2004, set to expire on May 3, 2004, be extended by 2 months, to expire on July 3, 2004 (Saturday). The enclosed check includes the 2-month extension fee of \$210.00.

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C. Fees Enclosed

Enclosed is our Check No. <u>155965</u> in the amount of \$314.00 to cover the amendment claim fee and request for extension of time fee.

D. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this document is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service in a sealed envelope as first class mail with postage thereon fully prepaid and addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the below date.

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July 6, 2004

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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

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AMENDMENT A

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action mailed February 3, 2004, please enter the following amendments and reconsider the application in view of the amended claims and remarks that follow:

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